

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Patent Application of: |) |
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| John Brown THOMSEN et al. |) Group Art Unit: Unassigned |
| Application No.: 10/642,650 |) Examiner: Unassigned |
| Filed: August 19, 2003 |) Confirmation No.: Unassigned |
| For: GEL FOR TREATMENT OF SKIN DISEASES AND FOR DISINFECTION OF SKIN |))) |

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:



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| Sir: | | | | | | |
| E | nclosed is a Second Preliminary Amendmen | t for the above-identified patent application. | | | | |
| [|] A Petition for Extension of Time is also | enclosed. | | | | |
| [] A Terminal Disclaimer and the [] \$55.00 (2814) [] \$110.00 (1814) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed. | | | | | | |
| [|] Also enclosed is/are | | | | | |
|] | [] Small entity status is hereby claimed. | | | | | |
| I | [] Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the [] \$375.00 (2801) [] \$750.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). | | | | | |
| | | riously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be requested based on the enclosed documents | | | | |
| | [] Applicant(s) previously submitted requested. | , on, for which continued examination is | | | | |
| | does not exceed three months from | f action by the Office until at least, which the filing of this RCE, in accordance with ed fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed. | | | | |

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| [] | Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § | 1.129(a) |
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| | .809/2809) is also enclosed. | |

- [X] No additional claim fee is required.
- [] An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

| AMENDED CLAIMS | | | | | |
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| | No. OF CLAIMS | HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE | ADD'L FEE |
| Total Claims | 10 | MINUS 20 = | 0 | × \$18.00 (1202) = | 0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 3 | MINUS 3 = | 0 | × \$84.00 (1201) = | 0.00 |
| If Amendment adds m | ultiple depend | lent claims, add \$28 | 0.00 (1203) | | |
| Total Claim Amendment Fee | | | 0.00 | | |
| If small entity status is | s claimed, sub | tract 50% of Total | Claim Amend | ment Fee | |
| TOTAL ADDITION | AL CLAIM I | FEE DUE FOR TH | IS AMENDA | ÆNT | 0.00 |

| | A total fee | in the | amount of \$ | | is enclosed. |
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| [] | Charge \$_ | | to Depos | it Account N | o. 02-4800. |

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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